UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/634,141	08/04/2003	Ilya V. Karpov	ITO.0554US (P16589)	5089
21906 TROP PRUNEI	90 10/08/2008 & HU, PC		EXAMINER	
1616 S. VOSS 1	ROAD, SUITE 750		LEE, EUGENE	
HOUSTON, TX 77057-2631			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
			2815	
			MAIL DATE	DELIVERY MODE
			10/08/2008	PAPER

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.



## United States Patent and Trademark Office

Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

TROP PRUNER & HU, PC Appeal No: 2009-0098 1616 S. VOSS ROAD, SUITE 750 Application: 10/634,141 HOUSTON, TX 77057-2631 Appellant: Ilya V. Karpov

## Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences Docketing Notice

Application 10/634,141 was received from the Technology Center at the Board on August 04, 2008 and has been assigned Appeal No: 2009-0098.

A review of the file indicates that the following documents have been filed by appellant:

Appeal Brief filed on: May 09, 2006 Reply Brief filed on: August 03, 2007

Request for Hearing filed on: NONE

In all future communications regarding this appeal, please include both the application number and the appeal number.

The mailing address for the Board is:

BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

The facsimile number of the Board is 571-273-0052. Because of the heightened security in the Washington D.C. area, facsimile communications are recommended. Telephone inquiries can be made by calling 571-272-9797 and should be directed to a Program and Resource Administrator.

By order of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences